

SPORTING PAGE

Make
His Pick

Winner of the Dennis O'Keefe-Griffiths fight at the East Chicago arena next Saturday afternoon will have an opportunity to take his pick of several good matches and any of them will be opponents who stand up for the top. The most likely match will be with Welterweight Champion Dick Britton, who has already wired to offer, but there is almost as good chance of signing with Lightweight Champion Benny Leonard. In the latter case, of course, O'Keefe or Griffiths will have to shave a little weight, but they could probably make the grade. The fight with Hanlon means a whole new Perrill and if he wins Saturday will be in line for a bout with either Charlie White, Ritchie Mitchell or Willie Jackson. Bud has met some of the fast ones, but is working harder for Saturday's fight than ever before in the hope of getting a chance at some of the championship contenders.

Some work is being done on the arena this week to correct a few of the bad features, which have cropped out in the other shows. Among other things there will be four ticket offices instead of the two as at previous bouts and the fans will not have to stand in line so long waiting to get tickets.

Tickets for the show are on sale in Hammond at Roy McNeil's, in East Chicago at Cohn and Decker's and the Club Billiard parlor, in Gary at Umpleby's and the Club cigar store and in Indiana Harbor at the Smoker Cigar store.

POLARINES DROP
FIRE-TEST GAME
TO COLORED STARS

WHITING, July 15.—Crippled by their pitching staff the Polarines took the short end of a 3 to 2 count when they tackled the Havana Stars at Whitening park in a seven inning game, the Colored Stars sure lived up to their reputation and displayed a brand of ball that pleased one and all of the monster crowd that witnessed the game. Jones, who is a regular third sacker, pitched a good game for the Polarines, getting nine strike outs while Thomas of the Stars got three. The colored stars started out strong in the first inning when the first man up slammed a homer into the lake, but from there on the game was even through out, the Polarines getting six hits to the Stars five.

Many of the great throng that witnessed the game were of the opinion that had the game gone on the full limit the Polarines would have come out the victors, but owing to the fact that some school boys who had a permit for the grounds halted one of the best games in Whitening for many years.

Summary of Sunday's game:
Havana Stars — 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 — 5 3 1
Polarines — 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 — 2 4
Home run, Major; three base hits, Wilson, McMurray, 2; two base hits, Thomas, Michalski, J. Walsko. Strike outs by Jones 9; by Thomas 3.

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MARTIN BEATS
OHIO CHAMPION
WITH 2 BLOWS

At Columbus, O.—Bob Martin knocked out Dick O'Brien (1).

At Detroit Bryan Downey beat Soldier Bartfield (10). Bad News Elber knocked out Johnny McGovern (7).

COLUMBUS, O., July 14.—Bob Martin, heavy weight boxing champion of the American expeditionary forces, tonight added another to his string of victories when he knocked out Dick O'Brien of Cincinnati, claimant of the heavy weight championship of Ohio, in less than a round.

When the men shook hands O'Brien started to jab the army boxer. O'Brien, who was using a crouch which was new to him, caught Martin's right hand flush on the jaw and went down for the count of five. O'Brien got up still dazed and Martin connected with the left hand and it was curtains for O'Brien. The bout was fought in drizzling rain and fast footwork on the part of either boxer was impossible.

E. C. MAROONS
BLANK ST. CYRILS

Frank Simon and the E. C. Maroons stood the St. Cyrils on their heads Sunday afternoon, thereby winning 3 to 1. Simon pitched a great game, with a lot of stuff on the pill and speed of surprise. Business opened with a loud bang in the third. Krupa shot off a Texas liner and Makimik was seen to shiver apprehensively, though the hit didn't come near him. Simon walked, putting Krupa on second. A wild throw by the catcher advanced Krupa and Simon to extra bases. Foster, the mighty Maroon, first sacker, made the moment look very inconvenient to the St. Cyrils by soaking a two bagger, which scored the two runs that won the game.

Babe Simon, catcher for the Maroons, did some wonderful work back of the bat and deserves credit for the victory as well as Baban and Foda. The outfield consisting of Jamrock, Kitter and Lukesic, did some flip flop stunts for the impossible to be gotten pill, thereby making the St. Cyril fans look eager enough to get rid of them.

This Sunday the Maroons will tackle the fast White Eagles of Whitening, Ind. The Maroons would like to hear from the Hammond K. of C. and the Polarines of Whitening. Information call Joe Krupa or Jimmy Jinks, E. C. 507-R.

Johnson Again Offers to
Surrender "on Conditions"

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 14.—Jack Johnson, former heavy weight champion, today telephoned from Tia Juana to the office of J. R. O'Connor, United States district attorney, repeating his offer of last week to surrender to federal authorities "if treated with proper courtesy." O'Connor said the request was informed he would be "handled like any other criminal."

Charles B. Cochran will not release Georges Carpentier from his contract and will insist upon the French boxer fighting in Europe, the London night promoter announced. "Under no circumstances will I release Descamps and Carpentier from their contract with me," Cochran said. "Furthermore, I will insist upon Carpentier's next match being held in Europe, as I am not sufficiently familiar with conditions in America. I am prepared to offer Dempsey as much as anybody, but I will rigidly hold Carpentier to his contract. Carpentier can't fight otherwise."

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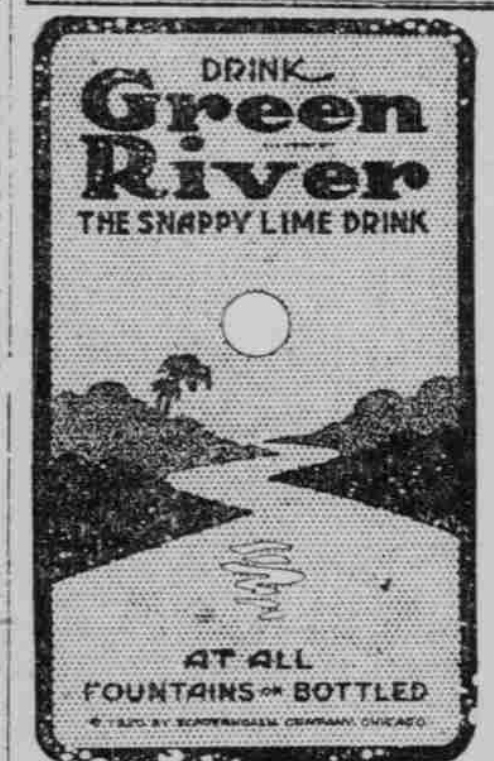
JONES AND EVANS
WIN IN WESTERN
TITLE TOURNEY

TODAY'S PAIRINGS
Chick Evans vs. James Ward.
Bobby Jones vs. C. W. Hubby, Jr.
Polack Boyd vs. Clarence Wolff.
Henry Weesler vs. Burt Wilbur.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 14.—The orbits of the two stars of the western amateur golf championship came closer together when Bobby Jones of Atlanta and Chick Evans of Chicago won their matches in the two eighteen hole rounds at the Memphis Country club today. Tomorrow, in the first of the thirty-six hole rounds, Jones will meet Clarence W. Hubby, Jr., a 24 year old player from Dallas, and the Georgia Peach should win. Evans has a harder task, as he meets James Ward of Kansas City, the former Missouri champion, now a student at Williams college. Chick was under no great pressure today and should come through over the long route tomorrow.

Bryan Downey Shades
Bartfield in 10 Rounds

DETROIT, July 14.—Bryan Downey of Columbus, O., shaded Soldier Bartfield, New York, in a hard fought ten round match tonight. In every round but the ninth Downey had the advantage.



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Harvard and Yale inaugurated their rowing races in 1852.

West Virginia university has made wrestling a minor sport.

West Virginia university has nine athletic instructors for various squads.

Thanksgiving day will mark the start of 100 days' horse racing at Oriental park, Havana.

The American Olympic track and field team will be limited to six men in each event and only four will be permitted to compete in trial races at Antwerp.

Edward Wachter, Jr., of Troy, selected to prepare Harvard for its basketball reappearance in the fall, is a well known professional, who has played in 1,650 games. He plays center.

Peter the Great, 2,074, now 25 years old, the most successful sire of trotters will feed on hothouse oats, grown expressly for him next winter.

The departmental field and track championship of the United States army went to the southern department when its representative won six of the twelve final events at the meet here and making its total points 128 1/2. The central and eastern departments tied for second place with 61 points each, and the rest finished in this order: Army of Occupation, 30 1/2; Western, 15; Northwestern, Hawaiian, 4 and Southeastern, 2.

Christy Mathewson, famous Giant pitcher for 15 years, has decided to give up his position as coach to the team and quit baseball. It was learned, Mathewson, who has been with the Giants since 1901, except for a year as manager of the Cincinnati Nationals and another in France on military duty, has been suffering for a fortnight from bronchitis and plans to go to Lake Placid, in the Adirondacks for a vacation.

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AND MANY OTHER SPEED DEMONS WILL BE THERE

HOW TO GET THERE. Cars will leave via the South Shore Interurban as follows: Hammond at 10:14 a. m.; East Chicago at 10:21 a. m.; Calumet at 10:28 a. m.; Gary at 10:48 a. m.; Miller at 10:57 a. m. Arrive at Mineral Springs at 11:02 a. m.

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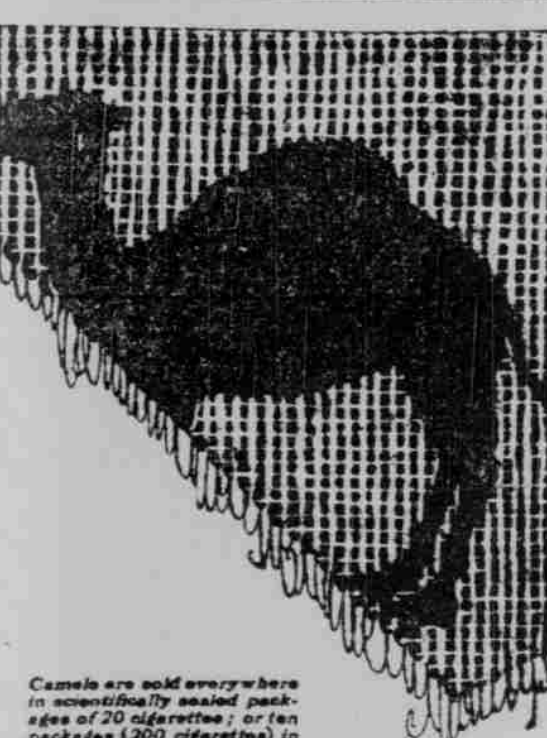
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